## DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations is being completed. Raiyats are busily engaged in sowing ragi, jola, avare.

*Seeds sown.*—Ragi, paddy, avare are being sown in Bangalore, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Hoskote Taluks.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, mulberry and yellu (gingelly) are in good condition in Nelamangala, Magadi, Hoskote, Dodballapur and Channapatna Taluks. Ragi and avare are in good condition in Bangalore, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Hoskote Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

*Damages to crops.*—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ragi, avare, togari, samè and sajje in all parts of the District. Paddy in parts of the Bowrfngpet, Chintamani and Sidlaghatta Taluks.

*Crops harvested and their out-turn.*—Nil.

*Standing crops.*—The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. There has been good rainfall during the week in all the Taluks excepting Goribidnur and Bagepalli where the fall was below half an inch. Rainfall has been particularly heavy in the taluks of Malur, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta.

*Prices of food grains.*—Stationary.

*Labour*—Sufficient for the cooly classes at present.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy. Pasture and drinking water is available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Markets fairly well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi, avare and thogare in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; avare and thogare in parts of Sira Taluk; jola in parts of Tumkur, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks; Navane in parts of Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks. Paddy in parts of Maddagiri, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; ground-nut in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk and save in parts of Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Jola in parts of Maddagiri Taluk; yield 4 annas. Paddy in parts of Sira Taluk; yield 4 annas and sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, til, jola, avare, thogare, haraka, groundnut, black-gram and navane are reported to be in fair condition in all parts of the District except in parts of Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks where they are reported to be in urgent need of rain.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be in good condition in all parts of the District except for chapperoga in parts of Kunigal Taluk.

Excepting in the Tumkur Taluk and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk difficulty for fodder is reported to continue in all taluks of the District.

Water is reported to be available in all parts of the District for the present.

## MYSORE.

8. Generally well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Nanjangud, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks. The Amildars of Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks report that there are no areas where lands have not been ploughed for want of rain. It is reported by the Amildar of Nagamangala Taluk that owing to insufficient rainfall near Nelligere, the sowing operations are not progressing well and that crops sown have not come up.

*Standing crops* .—Kar-paddy, sugar-cane, jola, togari, avare, ragi, til, green-gram, castor, mulberry, chillies, cotton, coriander, same, horsegram, haraka, tadaguni and they are reported to be in good condition except in parts of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Gundlupet and Krishnarajpete Taluks, where they are reported to be in need of rain.

*Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Seringapatam, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Krishnarajpete (12 annas) and Nagamangala Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good; but rain is wanted in most parts of the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

## HASSAN.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in the Manjarabad and Hole-Narsipur Taluks is being transplanted and ragi in the Arkalgud Taluk is being sown.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy in the Manjarabad and Belur Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in Alur Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; avare and cotton in the Belur Taluk; jola and til in the Belur and Arsikere Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

## SHIMOGA.

8 Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in all the taluks and the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi.

*Seeds sown.*—Paddy in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Sagar, and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, jola, cotton, til and greengram in the taluks of Channagiri, and Honnali, blackgram, navane, save, avare, togari in the Honnali Taluk are being sown. Transplantation of paddy is going on in the Taluks of Nagar and Tirthahalli.

*State of standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluk of Kumsi, paddy in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, and Tirthahalli and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in fairly good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are fair, but the rain is reported to be wanting in the Taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the Taluks.

Fodder and water are available all over the district except for slight difficulty reported to exist for fodder and water for cattle in Kasaba and Basavapatna hoblis of Channagiri Taluk, and Belagutti Hobli of the Honnali Taluk, where it is reported that the leaves of arali, matti, etc., are being used as fodder.

## KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplanting of paddy is going on in parts of Koppa, Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks. Also lands are being prepared for sowing purposes through the District.

*Crops sown.*—Kadur—Gingelly, cholum, coriander, black and greengram.

*Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur—Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane. Kadur—Sugar-cane, Kar-paddy, gingelly, cholum, black and greengram. Tarikere—Sugar-cane. Mudgere.—Paddy, sugar-cane and coffee. Narasimharajapura—Sugar-cane.

The standing crops are in good condition but rain is wanted in parts of Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

*Crops harvested.*—Kadur—Sugar-cane and karpaddy.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices are high.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. Metreroga prevails in Harmakki village of Mudgere Taluk. Doddaroga in Kuruvangi village of Chikmagalur Taluk Nandibattalu village of Tarikere Taluk and foot and mouth disease, is reported to be on the decrease in Ittige village of Tarikere Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing purposes.

*Standing crops*:—Sugar-cane, cotton, jola, ragi, blackgram, togari, til, groundnut navane, caster and greengram, and they are reported to be generally in a fair condition.

*Crops sown.*—Giddaragi, jola, navane, castor, togari, til and groundnut in parts of Challakere Taluk; ragi, jola, greengram and blackgram in parts of Holalkere Taluk; jola, til, cotton, groundnut, blackgram, greengram and ragi in parts of Davangere Taluk; ragi, jola and cotton in Molakalmuru Taluk; jola, cotton, castor, navane, sajje and groundnut in parts of Jagalur Taluk; and jola and cotton in parts of Harihar Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rains badly wanted. Foodstuffs are generally available. The prices of foodstuffs are almost stationary. Agricultural labour is generally available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. Kamara and date leaves are also being used as fodder in parts of Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks.

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